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A Christmas Bestiary

Julebestiarier

A mesmerizing peak at the beasts that enter our world during the cosy time of Christmas.

Benni Bødker is one of Denmark's leading writers of horror fiction for children and YA. His books have been translated into 12 languages.

John Kenn Mortensen, the Danish cult illustrator, celebrated by fans around the world for his incredibly detailed illustrations of monsters.



SYNOPSIS

Christmas is full of traditions that we love to take part in, but that we ultimately do not know the background of. This wasn't the case for our ancestors. They knew that Christmas isn't just the season of joy, but certainly also a season of pain. For them the month of Christmas was not only the darkest time of the year; it was also a dangerous time when the creatures of the netherworld appear among humans, and the portals to other worlds are thrown open.

This is still how it is. It's just that we are no longer equipped to cope. A *Christmas Bestiary* will hopefully help you survive.

REVIEWS

"How could you possibly do without this charming book?" – (5 hearts in *Politiken*)

"Rich on details and scary illustrations... and with tongue in cheek" – (*Weekendavisen*)

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